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## NEW MACHINERY REPLACES IMPORTS

Zagreb -- The "Bratstvo" enterprise for the mechanization of the wood industry produced a series of small, simple planers last year. This year it has begun to make large planers that do the work of 35 people. Only a few such machines have existed in Yugoslavia so far, but soon every wood-working plant will have one of Yugoslav manufacture.

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Foreign machines have to be stopped when the blades are removed for grinding, while the new planers work without interruption. They plane 15½ meters of wood per minute, and grinding is automatic.

The saws made at this factory, unlike foreign ones, have a movable table which feeds wood into the machine. They can do the work of 20 people. The production of "paralice", saws which are among the largest woodworking machines, will begin soon. They can handle large logs, and they waste 20 percent less wood than horizontal frame saws.

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